
SENATE COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL LEGISLATION AND VETERANS AFFAIRS

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NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, April 19, 2023

TIME: 4:30 PM

PLACE: Room 212 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [431](#)

~~BY E Morgan, de la Cruz, DeLuca~~

~~ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC1514/1} (Authorizes the division of motor vehicles to issue special license plates in recognition of Choose Life and in support of CareNet -- Rhode Island d/b/a CareNet Pregnancy Center Rhode Island.)~~

~~02/16/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs~~

~~04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration~~

Senate Bill No. [433](#)

BY Gu, Valverde, DiMario, Murray, Mack, Gallo, Miller, Lawson, Lauria, Ujifusa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- OPERATORS' AND CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES {LC1632/1} (Requires DMV to make, for persons with autism, a operator's license that is clearly marked "autism", decals that are clearly marked "autism" to be affixed to the vehicle, and blue envelopes that provide written information.)

02/16/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [436](#)

BY Felag, DiPalma, Lawson, Raptakis, Lauria, Murray, Valverde

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC1809/1} (Unifies the weight limit of vehicles with special plates, including P.O.W. plates, National Guard plates, and disabled veteran plates, to 12,000 pounds.)

02/16/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [440](#)

BY Sosnowski, Euer, Valverde, Felag, DiMario, F. Lombardi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF COMMERCIAL FISHING VEHICLES {LC973/1} (Requires the division of motor vehicles to develop a form for registration of and a license plate for commercial fishing motor vehicles.)

02/16/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [667](#)

BY Tikoian, Burke, LaMountain, Raptakis, Britto, Sosnowski, Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- OPERATORS' AND CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES {LC2546/1} (Requires an Automobile Association of America (AAA) program entitled "Shifting Gears: The Blunt Truth About Marijuana and Driving" to be added to the curriculum for driver education once it has been approved by the state board of education.)

03/07/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [670](#)

BY DiPalma, Zurier

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- OPERATORS' AND CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES {LC317/1} (Amends the driver education course requirement before licensing to allow instructor-led virtual format course instruction.)

03/07/2023 Introduced, referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

04/14/2023 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL:

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 3:30 PM on Wednesday, April 19, 2023, in order for it to be provided to the members of the committee at the hearing and to be included in the meeting records.

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